



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

BRUCE KING
GOVERNOR

LARRY KEHOE
SECRETARY

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
(505) 334-6178

February 11, 1980

Mr. James B. Fuller
1925 Belt Line Road, Suite 525
Carrollton, Texas 75006

Re: Thomas Drought #1
A-4-15N-6W

Dear Mr Fuller:

Please file form C-103 in triplicate to report the plugback and temporary abandonment of the referenced well. Refer to Rule 202-B for the time period for which a temporary abandonment will be permitted.

I agree with your concern about some of the plugging procedures used in the area. I recommend that you direct some correspondence to the New Mexico State Geologist, who has some authority over minerals exploitation, and to the New Mexico State Engineer, who has authority over protection of underground water. This would help me in my efforts to resolve the inequities you referred to.

If you have any questions, please call.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Frank T. Chavez".

Frank T. Chavez
District Supervisor

FTC;dh